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IN PATENT APPLICATION

As the inventors of the invention disclosed in the patent application entitled IMAGE ENHANCEMENT AND SEGMENTATION OF STRUCTURES IN 3D ULTRASOUND IMAGES FOR VOLUME MEASUREMENTS, we each hereby declare as follows:

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I believe that we are the original, first and sole inventors of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled IMAGE ENHANCEMENT AND SEGMENTATION OF STRUCTURES IN 3D ULTRASOUND IMAGES FOR VOLUME MEASUREMENTS, the specification of which is attached to this declaration.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified patent application, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, for the

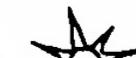


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